

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT

Division for the Purpose of
Appointing Independent Counsels

Division No. 94-1

FINAL REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT COUNSEL
(IN RE: MADISON GUARANTY SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION)

OF THE INVESTIGATION

IN RE: BERNARD NUSSBAUM

In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 594(h)(1)(B)(1994),¹ the Independent Counsel (In re: Madison Guaranty Savings & Loan Association)² files this Final Report in connection with In re: Bernard Nussbaum, Div. No. 94-1 (D.C. Cir. [Spec. Div.] Oct. 25, 1996), an investigation into whether former White House Counsel Bernard Nussbaum committed perjury, in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 1621, when he testified on June 26, 1996, in Washington, D.C., before the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight of the United States House of Representatives.³

¹ On June 30, 1999, the Independent Counsel Reauthorization Act of 1994, 28 U.S.C. §§ 591-99 (1994), expired and was not extended by Congress. This Office is authorized, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 599 (providing for continuation of then pending matters), to issue this Final Report.

² On October 18, 1999, Robert W. Ray was appointed Independent Counsel, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 593(e), following the resignation of Independent Counsel Kenneth W. Starr.

³ Since the initial appointment of Independent Counsel Starr on August 5, 1994, the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit, Division for the Purpose of Appointing Independent Counsels ("Special Division"), has, acting on the requests of Attorney General Janet Reno, expanded the OIC's jurisdiction several times. While former Independent Counsel Starr originally intended to file a single final report